Due Date: 24th August 2022, 10pm Problems Due: 3(a), 4,6

- 1. Construct a probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$  and events  $\{A_n\}_{n \ge 1}$  such that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}(A_n) = \infty$  but  $\mathbb{P}(A_n \text{ occurs i.o.}) < 1$ .
- 2. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n\geq 1}$  be independent random variables on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ . Prove that

$$\mathbb{P}(\lim_{n \to \infty} X_n = 0) = 1$$

if and only if

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}(\mid X_n \mid \geq \epsilon) < \infty, \text{ for all } \epsilon > 0.$$

- 3. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n\geq 1}$  be independent random variables on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ .
  - (a) Suppose  $X_n \sim \text{Normal}(0, 1)$  then show that  $\mathbb{P}(\limsup_{n \to \infty} \frac{X_n}{\sqrt{2\log(n)}} = 1) = 1.$ (b) Suppose  $X_n \sim \text{Poisson}(1)$  then show that  $\mathbb{P}(\limsup_{n \to \infty} X \frac{\log\log(n)}{\sqrt{2\log(n)}} = 1) = 1.$
  - (b) Suppose  $X_n \sim \text{Poisson}(1)$  then show that  $\mathbb{P}(\limsup_{n \to \infty} X_n \frac{\log \log(n)}{\log(n)} = 1) = 1.$
- 4. Let  $\{a_n\}_{n\geq 1}$  be a sequence of real numbers. Suppose  $\Omega = \{-1,1\}^{\mathbb{N}}$  along with

$$\sigma(\{\pi_n^{-1}(E): E \subseteq \pi_n(\Omega), n \ge 1\})$$

where  $\pi_n : \Omega \to \Omega_n$  denote the projection onto the first *n* coordinates. Suppose  $\mathbb{P} : \mathcal{A} \to [0,1]$  given by

$$\mathbb{P}(\{\omega \in \Omega | \pi_n(\omega) = (\tilde{\omega}_1, \tilde{\omega}_2, \dots, \tilde{\omega}_n)\}) = \frac{1}{2^n},$$

for any  $(\tilde{\omega}_1, \tilde{\omega}_2, \dots, \tilde{\omega}_n) \in \{-1, 1\}^n$ . Show that

$$\mathbb{P}(\{\omega \in \Omega | \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \omega_n a_n < \infty\}) \in \{0, 1\}.$$

- 5. Let F be a distribution function, namely: F is monotonically non-decreasing - i.e.  $x \leq y \Rightarrow F(x) \leq F(y)$ , F is right continuous - i.e.,  $\lim_{y \downarrow x} F(y) = F(x)$ , and F satisfies  $\lim_{x \to \infty} F(x) = 1$ ,  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} F(x) = 0$ . Let  $\Omega = [0, 1], \mathcal{F} = \mathcal{B}_{[0,1]}$  the Borel- $\sigma$  algebra on [0, 1], and  $\mathbb{P}(dw)$  be the Lebesgue measure. Show that there exists a random variable  $X : \Omega \to \mathbb{R}$  such that  $\mathbb{P}(X \leq x) = F(x)$ .
- 6. (Constructing independent and identically distributed (i.i.d.) sequence of Uniform random variables) Let  $\Omega = [0, 1], \mathcal{F} = \mathcal{B}_{[0,1]}$  the Borel- $\sigma$  algebra on [0, 1], and  $\mathbb{P}(dw)$  be the Lebesgue measure. Consider random variables  $d_k : [0, 1] \to \mathbb{R}$  with  $d_k(\omega)$  being the k-th digit in the binary expansion of  $\omega$ .
  - (a) Show that  $\{d_k\}_{k>1}$  is an i.i.d. Bernoulli  $(\frac{1}{2})$  sequence, i.e.

- i. Show that  $\mathbb{P}(d_k = 0) = \mathbb{P}(d_k = 1) = \frac{1}{2}$  for all  $k \ge 1$ .
- ii. Show that  $\{d_k\}_{k\geq 1}$  is an independent collection of random variables.
- (b) Show that  $U =: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{d_k}{2^k}$  is a Uniform [0,1] random variable on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ .
- (c) Let  $U_k = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{d_{2^{k-1}(2^{m-1})}}{2^m}$ . Show that  $\{U_k\}_{k\geq 1}$  are an i.i.d. sequence of Uniform random variables.
- 7. (Constructing i.i.d. sequence of random variables) Let  $\Omega = [0, 1], \mathcal{F} = \mathcal{B}_{[0,1]}$  the Borel- $\sigma$  algebra on [0, 1], and  $\mathbb{P}(dw)$  be the Lebesgue measure. Suppose we are given a probability distribution  $\mathbb{Q}$  on  $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{R}})$ . Construct a sequence  $\{X_n\}_{n\geq 1}$  of random variables on  $\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}$ ) such
  - (a)  $\{X_n\}_{n\geq 1}$  are independent.
  - (b)  $\mathbb{P}(X_n \in A) = \mathbb{Q}(A)$ , for all  $A \in \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{R}}$

## References

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